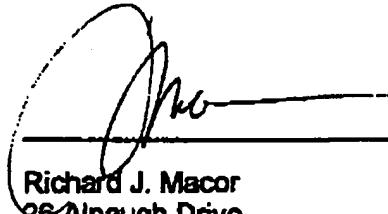


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The above amendment is made to define the final status and language of all claims. It is understood that the allowed claims are claims 29, 31-34, 39 and 41-45 as presented herein. Applicant wishes to respectfully acknowledge and thank Examiner Drew Hirshfeld and Examiner Anthony Nguyen for their assistance which has caused the applicant to respond in a way that is believed to have advanced this case.

Thank you.

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